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In re: Witmer et al.

Serial No.: 09/840,742

Group Art Unit: 2123

Filed: April 23, 2001

For: METHODS FOR FACILITATING THE DESIGN AND INSTALLATION OF  
CUSTOM HOME NETWORKING SYSTEMS

Date: August 24, 2001

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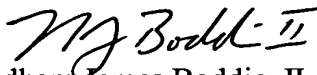
SUBMITTAL OF DECLARATION  
UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.63

Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts dated June 15, 2001, enclosed is a Declaration and Power of Attorney for the above identified application which has been executed by the named inventors.

A check in the amount of \$130.00 is also enclosed to cover the surcharge under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16(e). Any additional fee or credit may be charged to our Deposit Account No. 50-0220.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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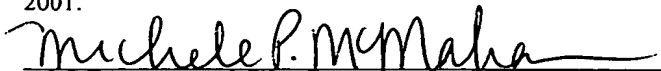
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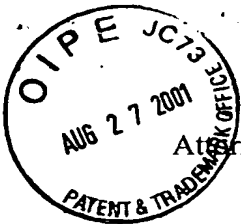
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SUBMITTAL OF FORMAL DRAWINGS

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Sir:

In response to the requirement for new drawings in the above application, there is enclosed herewith one set ( 6 sheets) of new formal drawings. It is requested that these new drawings be substituted for the originally filed informal drawings.

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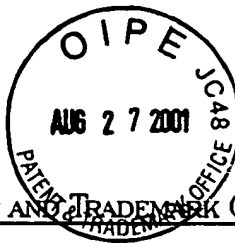
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## NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

*Filing Date Granted*

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is missing.  
*A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.*
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- **The balance due by applicant is \$ 130.**

The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 because:
  - drawing sheets do not have the appropriate margin(s) (see 37 CFR 1.84(g)). Each sheet must include a top margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a left side margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a right side margin of at least 1.5 cm. (5/8 inch), and a bottom margin of at least 1.0 cm. (3/8 inch);

*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the reply.*

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